



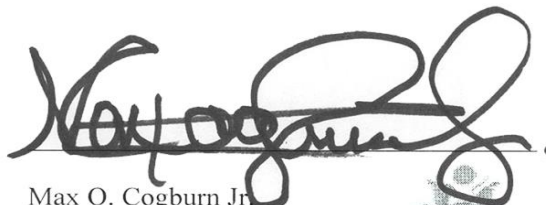
the court when the report from the medical evaluation is completed. At least fourteen (14) days prior to the hearing, the defendant shall make available to the government the report of the psychiatric expert. The government may cross-examine this psychiatric expert at the hearing and may also seek to have defendant examined under Title 18. As defendant mentions in his pleading, if the Court is satisfied defendant's plea was knowing and voluntary, this hearing may be converted to a sentencing hearing (#240) at 2.

### **ORDER**

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that this matter is continued for a period of ninety (90) days from the issuance of this Order to allow time for a psychiatric evaluation of the defendant. That evaluation shall be bounded in scope to assess the defendant's mental status at the time of the Rule 11 hearing. The time of the continuance may be shorter than 90 days if the evaluation and resulting report is completed sooner than expected.

The defendant is instructed to inform the court by filing a Notice upon the completion of the expert evaluation and provide the attendant report to the government within fourteen (14) days of a status hearing on this matter.

Signed: May 8, 2017



Max O. Cogburn Jr.  
United States District Judge